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Advance Announcement

The August issue of the Bulletin will be devoted to the publication of papers presented at the

**CONFERENCE ON BURNS AND
FLAME-RETARDANT FABRICS**

that was held at the Academy last December, under the auspices of the American College of Surgeons, the National Fire Protection Association, the Academy's Section on Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, the Division of Accident Prevention of the U.S. Public Health Service, in cooperation with the American Academy of Pediatrics, the American Public Health Association, and the National Safety Council.

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BATHING IN VIENNA

The system established for private bathing in Vienna, from its convenience, deserves particular notice; for, besides accommodations at the baths, called the Diana and Emperor's baths, you may, at any time, by sending an order a few hours previously, be furnished from them with a warm bath in your own lodging. This is done by putting the hot water into small casks, formed of staves at least two inches in thickness, which are conveyed to any part of the city or suburbs upon carriages resembling our brewers' drays. A bathing vessel is brought at the same time, and placed in your chamber, and is filled from these casks, of which a sufficient number are left to be added to the rest, to keep up the temperature. When confined in these thick casks, the water will retain considerable heat for twenty-four hours. The apparatus is removed by the same persons who brought it; and the whole charge does not amount to more than eighteenpence or two shillings, according to the distance of your abode from the public baths.

From: Richard Bright, *Travels from Vienna through Lower Hungary*. Edinburgh, Constable, 1818, p. 88.

Bowen-Brooks Scholarship For Advanced Study Abroad

In the current year the Committee on Medical Education of The New York Academy of Medicine will award *one* Bowen-Brooks Scholarship in the amount of \$5,200 for the *academic year 1968-69*.

This scholarship was established by the donor to provide aid for advanced study abroad in a clinical subject in preparation for the practice of medicine or surgery in any of their branches.

As stipulated by the donor of the fund, candidates must be *male* interns or residents in voluntary, municipal or Veterans Administration hospitals in New York City.

The course of study, the auspices under which it is to be taken, and the place or places where the study is to be pursued must receive the approval of the Committee. Applicants are favored who, from their records, show themselves capable of advanced work in clinical medicine. The Committee stipulates that the study be pursued abroad, preferably in Great Britain or in continental Europe.

The deadline for receipt of applications is *November 1, 1967*. Applicants will be required to appear before the Awards Committee for a personal interview at a meeting to be held in December. Announcement of the award will be made in late December.

Requests for application forms should be addressed to:

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The Glorney-Raisbeck Fellowship in the Medical Sciences for the academic year beginning July 1, 1968 will be awarded by the Committee on Medical Education of The New York Academy of Medicine for one year of research or study, in the United States or abroad, in any field of medicine or its allied sciences.

The fellowship, which carries a stipend of \$7,500, is open only to citizens of the United States who are holders of the M.D. degree and who are located in the New York metropolitan area. Applicants must have demonstrated potential for productivity in research and teaching.

An applicant should be prepared to give assurance that he will have an institutional appointment which will enable him to carry out the purposes of his program of research or study. Such institutions will be encouraged to supplement the fellowship stipend. The fellowship *is not available* for supplementation of residency salaries.

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